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December 17, 2003

Sharla Dillon  
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460 James Robertson Pkwy.  
Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0505

**Re: Petition of XO Tennessee, Inc. to Amend Its Certificate of  
Convenience and Necessity**

Dear Ms. Dillon :


Enclosed is a Certificate of Service showing the parties upon which the Petition in the above-mentioned docket is being served.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call me.

Very truly yours,

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Honorable Deborah Taylor Tate  
Chairman  
Tennessee Regulatory Authority  
460 James Robertson Parkway  
Nashville, TN 37243-0505

DOCKET NO.

03-00567

Re: Petition of XO Tennessee, Inc. to Amend Its Certificate of Convenience  
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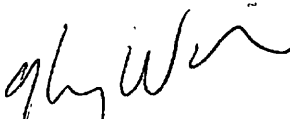
Dear Chairman Tate:

Enclosed please find the original and fourteen (14) copies of the Petition of XO  
Tennessee, Inc. to Amend Its Certificate of Convenience and Necessity.

Very truly yours,

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**BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY  
NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE**

**October 27, 2003**

*IN RE:* )  
*Petition of Interconnection Agreement Between* ) *Docket No. \_\_\_\_\_*  
*TDS Telecom and XO Tennessee, Inc.* )  
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**PETITION OF XO TENNESSEE, INC. TO AMEND ITS CERTIFICATE OF  
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY**

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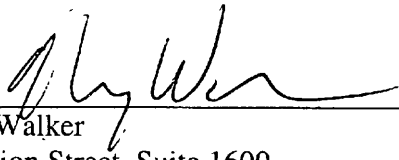
XO Tennessee, Inc. ("XO") petitions the Tennessee Regulatory Authority to amend XO's certificate of convenience and necessity to allow XO to offer telecommunications services to customers located in the service areas of Concord Telephone Exchange, Tennessee Telephone Company, Fellico Telephone Company, and Humphreys County Telephone Company (hereafter "TDS" or the Company).

As evidenced by a separate filing made today, XO and TDS have entered into an interconnection agreement and submitted that agreement to the Authority for approval. XO presently has a certificate, originally obtained under the name Signal Communications of Tennessee, LLC (Docket 95-02502, order issued Sept. 29, 1995). Consistent with the law in effect at that time, XO's certificate prohibited the carrier from offering service in areas served by incumbents, such as TDS, with fewer than 100,000 total access lines "unless such company voluntarily enters into an interconnection agreement with a competing telecommunications services provider." T.C.A. § 65-4-202(d). TDS and XO have now entered into such an agreement and it is therefore appropriate to amend XO's certificate accordingly.

Respectfully submitted,

BOULT, CUMMINGS, CONNERS & BERRY, PLC

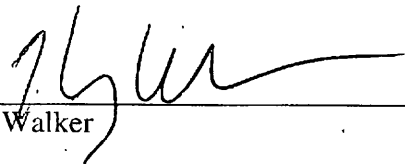
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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on October 27, 2003, a copy of the foregoing document was serviced on the parties of record, via US mail:

Dale Grimes  
Bass, Berry & Sims  
315 Deaderick St., #2700  
Nashville, TN 37238-3001

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Henry Walker

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing is being forwarded via U.S. Mail, to the parties on the attached pages on this the 17 day of December, 2003.

Henry Walker KG  
Henry Walker

**Incumbent Local Exchange Service Providers Certificated In Tennessee  
(Facilities-based)**

<p align="center"><b><u>Ardmore Telephone Company, Inc.</u></b></p> <p>P.O. Box 549 517 Ardmore Avenue Ardmore, TN 38449</p> <p>(205) 423-2131 (205) 423-2208 (Fax)</p>	<p align="center"><b><u>BellSouth</u></b></p> <p>333 Commerce Street Nashville, TN 37201-3300</p> <p>(615) 214-3800 (615) 214-8820 (Fax)</p>	<p align="center"><b><u>Century Telephone of Adamsville</u></b></p> <p>P.O. Box 405 116 N. Oak Street Adamsville, TN 38310</p> <p>(901) 632-3311 (901) 632-0232 (Fax)</p>
<p align="center"><b><u>Century Telephone of Claiborne</u></b></p> <p>P.O. Box 100 507 Main Street New Tazewell, TN 37825</p> <p>(423) 626-4242 (423) 626-5224 (Fax)</p>	<p align="center"><b><u>Century Telephone of Ooltewah-Collegedale, Inc.</u></b></p> <p>P.O. Box 782 5616 Main Street Ooltewah, TN 37363</p> <p>(423) 238-4102 (423) 238-5699 (Fax)</p>	<p align="center"><b><u>Citizens Communications Company of Tennessee</u></b></p> <p>P.O. Box 770 300 Bland Street Bluefield, WV 24701</p>
<p align="center"><b><u>Citizens Communications Company Of The Volunteer State</u></b></p> <p>P.O. Box 770 300 Bland Street Bluefield, WV 24701</p>	<p align="center"><b><u>Loretto Telephone Company, Inc.</u></b></p> <p>P.O. Box 130 Loretto, TN 38469</p> <p>(931) 853-4351 (931) 853-4329 (Fax)</p>	<p align="center"><b><u>Millington Telephone Company, Inc.</u></b></p> <p>4880 Navy Road Millington, TN 38053</p> <p>(901) 872-3311 (901) 873-0022 (Fax)</p>
<p align="center"><b><u>Sprint-United</u></b></p> <p>112 Sixth Street Bristol, TN 37620</p> <p>(423) 968-8161 (423) 968-3148 (Fax)</p>	<p align="center"><b><u>TDS Telecom-Concord Telephone Exchange, Inc.</u></b></p> <p>P.O. Box 22610 701 Concord Road Knoxville, TN 37933-0610</p> <p>(423) 966-5828 (423) 966-9000 (Fax)</p>	<p align="center"><b><u>TDS Telecom-Humphreys County Telephone Company</u></b></p> <p>P.O. Box 552 203 Long Street New Johnsonville, TN 37134-0552</p> <p>(931) 535-2200 (931) 535-3309 (Fax)</p>

**TDS Telecom-Tellico  
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Inc.**

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Tellico Plains, TN 37385-  
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Company**

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2139

(423) 922-3535  
(423) 922-9515 (Fax)

**TEC-Crockett  
Telephone Company,  
Inc.**

P.O. Box 7  
Friendship, TN 38034  
(901) 677-8181

**TEC-People's  
Telephone Company,  
Inc.**

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Erin, TN 37061

(931) 289-4221  
(931) 289-4220 (Fax)

**TEC-West Tennessee  
Telephone Company,  
Inc.**

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Bradford, TN 38316

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(901) 742-2212 (Fax)

**United Telephone  
Company**

P.O. Box 38  
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Chapel Hill, TN 37034

(931) 364-2289  
(931) 364-7202 (Fax)